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Chairman Julius Genachowski
Commissioner Michael J. Copps
Commissioner Robert M. McDowell
Commissioner Meredith Attwell Baker
Commissioner Mignon Clyburn

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: WT Docket 11-65

Dear Chairman Genachowski and Commissioners,

In any community, health care is a vital need, but that is especially true of a rural community. At Alliance HealthCare System, we know that we have to stay at the forefront of medical technology even as we deal with increased costs of delivering services to our patients. Due to cost constraints, we are always looking for smarter ways to run our hospital.

Telemedicine is one way we can both serve our local community effectively while also offering the best technology available. It allows us to tap into expertise and assets from other locations which means patients in our hospital can have access to specialists from across the country or across the globe-without ever leaving our premises.

To take advantage of this technology, we need the best mobile broadband network available. That is the reason that I am supporting the merger of AT&T and T-Mobile. And that is why I hope that you will, as well. The patients in our hospital are counting on you.
Sincerely,

Perry E. Williams, Sr.
CEO/Administrator
Alliance HealthCare System, Inc.